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1. On 6 November 1953 a new Soviet trawler named AHECTP was seen making trial runs in the Bay of Gdansk (Danzig). The trawler, which had been built in Gdansk, had a black hull, white ribbon waterline, and black funnel with a red band. The after part of the forecastle deck appeared to be extended and resembled a gun platform.
2. On 16 November 1953 another new Soviet trawler of the same type was seen in the Bay of Gdansk conducting engine trials. Due to vibration the name of this vessel could not be noted. It was established that the name differed from that of the trawler seen on 6 November.

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